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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 327
By Patton

A RESOLUTION Providing for the erection of directional signs for the Adelpia Centre and the Carroll Reece Museum at East Tennessee State University on Interstate Highways 81 and 181 in Washington County.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain directional signs for the Adelpia Centre and the Carroll Reece Museum at East Tennessee State University at the following locations in Washington County:

(1) Interstate Highway 81 at Exit 57, (Interstate Highway 181) both northbound and southbound; and

(2) Interstate Highway 181 at Exit 31A, (University Parkway/U.S. Highway 321) both northbound and southbound.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the erection of such directional signs shall be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall become operative only if the Federal Highway Administrator advises the Commissioner of Transportation in writing that the provisions of this act shall not render Tennessee in violation of federal laws and regulations and subject to penalties prescribed therein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall become operative only if Johnson City, Tennessee, either (1) remits the estimated cost of the erection of such signs to the Department of Transportation within one (1) year of the effective date of this resolution, or (2) manufactures and erects such signs pursuant to state and federal guidelines and as approved by the Department. If electing option (1), Johnson City shall make such payment prior to any expenditure by the state for manufacture or installation of such signs. The Department shall return any unused portion of the estimated cost to Johnson City within thirty (30) days of the erection of such signs. If the actual cost exceeds the estimated cost, Johnson City shall remit an amount equal to the difference in such costs to the Department within thirty (30) days of receiving an itemized invoice of the actual cost from the Department.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an enrolled copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Commissioner of Transportation.